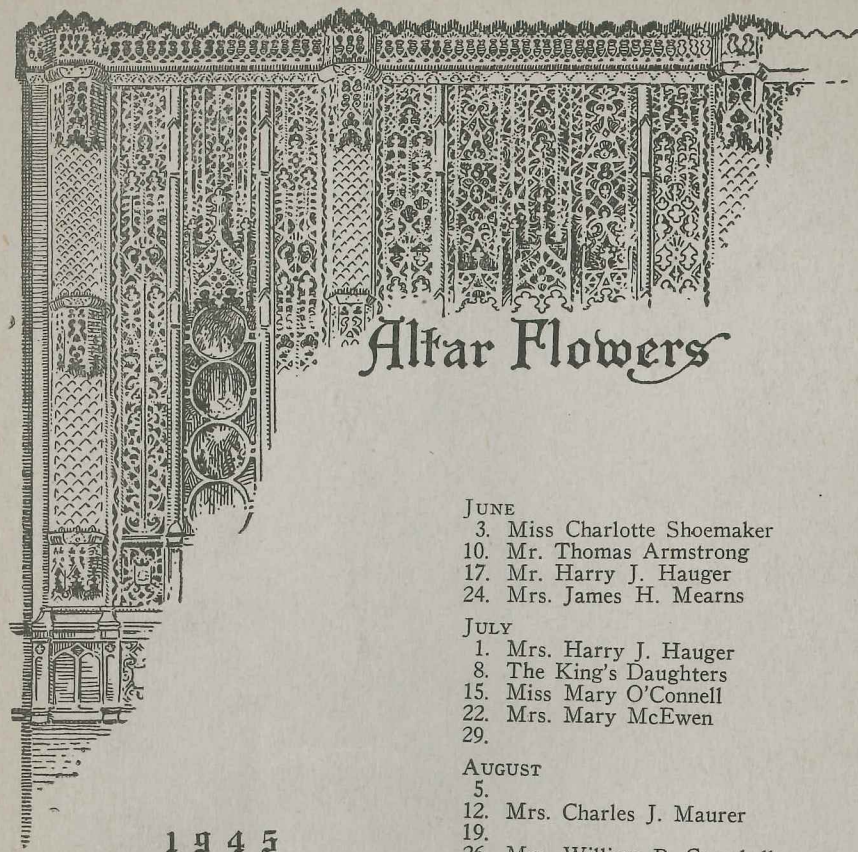




Altar Flowers

1945

JANUARY

- 7.
- 14. Miss Isabell F. Kirkpatrick
- 21. Mrs. Craig Atmore
- 28. Mrs. I. Smith Raspin

FEBRUARY

- 4. Mrs. Daniel R. Harper
- 11. Miss Anna Eisenbrey
- 18. Miss E. Bertha Yocum
- 25. The Alumnae of the Burd School

MARCH

- 4. Mrs. William K. Barclay
- 11. Mrs. Marie Hodgekinson Eckman
- 18. Mrs. Thomas Ross
- 25. Palm Sunday—Mothers' Meeting
- 29. Maundy Thursday—Mrs. Otis Ellery Taylor

APRIL

- 1. Easter
 - 8. Mrs. Philip Schwarz
 - 15. Mrs. Lewis F. Hahn
 - 22. Mrs. William Dickhart
 - 29. Mrs. Margaret Dougherty
- ### MAY
- 6. Mr. Clarence T. Garrett, Jr.
 - 13. Mrs. James F. Armstrong
 - 20. Whitsunday—Mrs. John C. Knox
 - 27. Trinity Sunday—Mrs. Emory R. Johnson

JUNE

- 3. Miss Charlotte Shoemaker
- 10. Mr. Thomas Armstrong
- 17. Mr. Harry J. Hauger
- 24. Mrs. James H. Mearns

JULY

- 1. Mrs. Harry J. Hauger
- 8. The King's Daughters
- 15. Miss Mary O'Connell
- 22. Mrs. Mary McEwen
- 29.

AUGUST

- 5.
- 12. Mrs. Charles J. Maurer
- 19.
- 26. Mrs. William B. Campbell

SEPTEMBER

- 2. In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Gensheimer
- 9. Miss Susan C. Thackara
- 16.
- 23. Mr. Paul Downward
- 30.

OCTOBER

- 7. Miss Matilda Maulsby
- 14. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Croyder
- 21. Mr. Paul Downward
- 28. Mrs. Martha Atherton

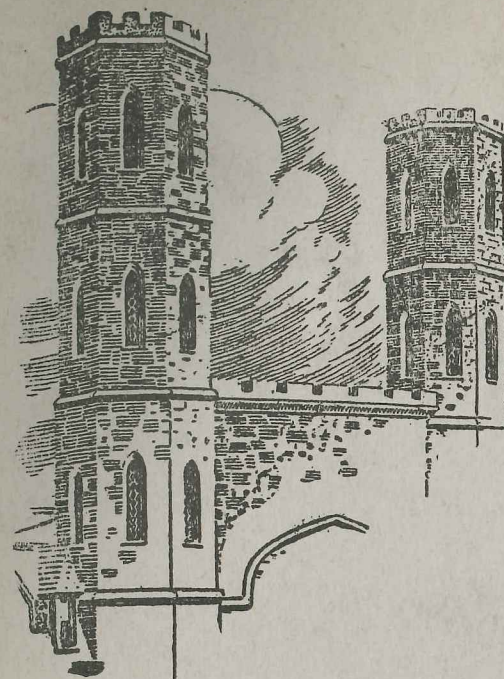
NOVEMBER

- 1. All Saints Day—the Girls Friendly Society
- 4. Miss Anna Eisenbrey
- 11. Mr. Paul Downward
- 18.
- 25. The Rev. Herbert Jones
- 29. Thanksgiving Day

DECEMBER

- 2. Dr. Herbert Old
- 9. The Misses Davis
- 16. Mrs. Martha Atherton
- 23.
- 25. Christmas Day
- 30. The Vestry

Flowers for the Magee, Atmore and Pancoast Windows and the David Wood Memorial are provided on Christmas and Easter.



St. Stephen's Protestant Episcopal Church

Our Parish in Action

1944-1945

REV. ALFRED W. PRICE, D. D.
Rector

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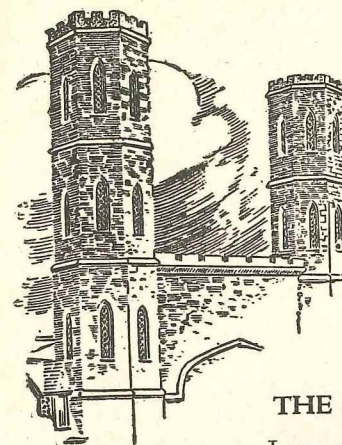
REQUIEM

Rodney M. McCaughin
William A. Dunlap

Adams, Charles V.
Adams, John
Adams, Theodore
Ahmie, Joseph H.
Alexander, James B.
Armstrong, Robert
Bealmear, James
Bickel, Frederick L.
Bishop, G. Reginald, Jr.
Blomquist, Arthur
Blomquist, Frederick
Blomquist, George
Blomquist, Harry
Brown, Mildred
Campbell, John E.
Chassey, Frederick
Chassey, Harry
Christides, George T.
Christie, James W.
Clark, Craig
Clark, Stanley
Connelly, Joseph McC.
Cooke, Edward J., Jr.
Davis, Robert W.
Dickhart, William, III
Dittman, Frank L.
Dittman, Stanley R.
Duffield, Edith M.
★Dunlap, William A.
Earle, Marshall A.
George, John G.

Goff, Frank
Gore, Allen M.
Gore, George L.
Grasso, William H.
Gwynne, Lillian
Haines, George H.
Haines, William S.
Hanks, Edgar
Harris, John M.
Head, Josephine
Hepburn, James
Hopkins, Dorothy M.
Hume, Evan B.
Hurgeton, Eleanor
Jacobs, Albert
Johnston, Richard C.
Karian, Frank
Kenny, Richard T.
King, Andrew Joseph
Knox, William S.
Larkin, Robert H.
Leyrer, William H.
Mark, Norvel J.
Matthews, John
Mearns, Elizabeth C.
Mearns, James H., III
McAnulty, John B.
★McCaughin, Rodney M.
McCaughin, Morris
Newcomer, Robert
Nichols, Myron M.

Oberholtzer, Edward
Owens, Matthew J. I.
Parks, Jacquelin
Price, George M.
Richardson, Elmer G.
Ruxton, Alfred
Ruxton, Robert
Ruxton, William H.
Runkle, Frederick R.
Scherzer, William
Scutti, Joseph
Sheehan, Albert
Sherrouse, Horace
Smith, Edward Fox
Smith, Harry
Smith, William S.
Spear, John
Sprinkle, Lawrence
Steele, Albert
Stephens, George T.
Stevenson, Ross
Sullivan, Donald
Sullivan, James
Sullivan, Leo G.
Taxis, David O.
Taxis, Wilbur I.
Thoma, Henry J.
Weber, John
Weir, Howard D.
White, Ruth Anne
Wong, Henry
Wong, Herbert



THE REVERIE OF A DOWNTOWN CHURCH

I am a downtown church. Some people rather pity me, for they think I am destined to grow weak and die. But they do not know me, or they would know better.

I have an honorable history. I was here more than a century ago, and I will still be here a century hence. Long after neighborhoods have changed and good neighborhoods have deteriorated, and strong neighborhood churches have become weak neighborhood churches, I will continue to be strong.

For I am in the heart of the city, and my ministry is not to a section of the town, but to the entire city, for I reach out in every direction. My ministry touches every neighborhood, and it extends to all classes.

I am not provincial in my outlook. In me, the rich and the poor mingle in the fellowship of worship. Through me the poor are ennobled and enriched, and the rich are made generous and gentle.

I live to serve. I exist for others. This may be the reason why I continue to keep my strength through the years.

It is sometimes said that I am not so convenient to attend. But who ever said that religion is to be a thing of convenience? If pilgrims of Israel could travel the length of Palestine afoot to attend the special temple services at Jerusalem, surely the twenty minutes it requires to come to the heart of the city is not too much.

You come downtown to shop. You come downtown for your entertainment. Many of you come downtown to work. Is it any more of a hardship to come downtown for worship?

You would not want me to die through your indifference, any more than you would want your downtown postoffice, courthouse and department stores to die.

I leave my future to you, for my place in the city depends upon your loyalty. I believe that I can count on you.

The Rector's Report

The Fellowship of St. Stephen's Church—Greetings:

There is presented herewith a most encouraging and reassuring Annual Report of our Fellowship, which should gladden and cheer your heart.

Amid all the disarrangement of these times and the re-thinking of the opportunity and responsibility of church in this community, diocese, and nation, St. Stephen's has given leadership and guidance.

We are in a position now, as never before, to give practical service to this community, and effectively and efficiently meet the unparalleled opportunities in the days ahead.

War changes the program and life of a parish as much if not more than it changes community life. Most of our activities are centered on winning the war, and I believe, rightly so. Over ninety of our young men and women are in the service. Many of the married men and numerous women are working in factories on work directly necessary to the winning of the War. A large proportion of you are busy in Red Cross, War Fund work or St. Stephen's Service Club. Obviously you have little time or energy available for social meetings in the Church, or for anything but essential functions of the Church as a whole.

We need to do some clear thinking as to the nature of those essential functions so that they may not be forgotten in these strenuous days. They include:

1. *Worship of Almighty God.*

This, of course, is our most essential function. The rector has been greatly cheered and heartened in the evident improvement in Church attendance during the past year. In 1944, 39,149 people attended our services, 25,072 attended the noonday services, 1617 received Holy Communion between Sundays, 11,323 attended the Sunday services (increase of 2748), 737 attended the early Sunday Communion Services. There is no substitute for the public worship of Almighty God. It is by our loyalty to the worship services that we can make a church what it should be—a focus for living, a place where rich and poor meet on equal terms, where existence finds its meaning, both spiritual and social. If there is one lesson which the war-torn world teaches, it is the futility of man's endeavor where it is divorced from God. We have an immense opportunity here in St. Stephen's to worship God in the beauty of holiness, and to study His will for each of us individually, and for the whole of humanity.

2. *Another essential function is the maintenance of a friendly and helpful contact with the men and women in the armed forces and nursing corps.* Although our weekly bulletin is sent to all on our honor roll and the rector writes at least five letters a week (which means that each individual receives just three letters a year), this is manifestly not enough. This contact with our service men and women should be shared by the whole fellowship, for it is a rich and rewarding experience.

It might be noted here that the rector writes to the parents, or relatives of every service man or woman who signs a visitor's card distributed by the ushers at all our services. The appreciative answers received by the rector from these home-folks have amply repaid his time and effort.

At the time that this report is being presented, the St. Stephen's Service Club is celebrating its second anniversary. The first Protestant Service Club to open in the city, 58,000 service men and women have been

entertained and over 18,000 have been served Sunday night supper. Two hundred and eight churches and missions of the Diocese have supported this program without any financial aid from the U. S. O. Over 500 volunteer workers keep the club working at high efficiency. Confidences, homesickness, romance, worry about friends or family, fun, laughter, and tears—all these add up to make more than two years of interest, hard work and opportunities for friendships at St. Stephen's Service Club. Coming to us from every state in the Union, from Canada, Brazil, Norway, Great Britain and France, they leave us to face experiences which we can never really understand, protected as we are in this country. Our thoughts and prayers go with them, wherever they are, and we are grateful for our opportunities of service.

3. *Another essential function is the support of the world-wide program of the whole Church.* We must not let our missionaries down, nor permit the prestige of our Church to decline in community, diocese, nation and the world. It has been a source of deep satisfaction that St. Stephen's met its increased missionary apportionment of \$4,500.00 this past year and was numbered among those parishes in the diocese that exceeded its share. Next year we must make an even greater effort. \$5,000.00 is not too great a sum to set as our goal.

4. *Still another essential function of the Church is adequate financial support of the Church's work.* From our faithful and devoted Accounting Warden's report we have a most encouraging and reassuring picture. We paid all our current parish and diocesan obligations, amounting to \$40,359.06; we made repairs to the amount of \$2,432.31; we gave away \$10,159.16 to missionary and benevolent causes; we added \$5,000.00 to the Endowment Fund from the Miss Clara E. Meyer legacy for missionary purposes. We added \$5,000.00 to our Endowments through the bequests of Laura Bell, and we have eliminated through the generous legacy of Laura Bell, the \$30,000.00 mortgage on our Community House. We now have a six-hundred thousand dollar property free and clear. We have done an unprecedented thing this year. We have paid back from income a substantial sum to the Endowment Fund. This will appear on the 1945 report. At long last we have stopped the yearly trend of meeting deficits through the use of capital funds, and are firmly on the pay-as-you-go plan. Rigid economies and increased giving on the part of our members have made this enviable record. Reading between the lines of the figures in the Accounting Warden's report, we find evidence of loyalty and devotion for which we have every reason to be thankful.

One of the special privileges of the ministry is that of pastoral visitation. It is a joy to meet people in their homes and to establish that friendly personal relationship which ought to exist between a rector and his people. During the past year, the rector made some 500 pastoral visits. An ever increasing number of people find their way to the rector's study in the course of the year to discuss matters of a personal nature. The results of these personal contacts cannot adequately be recorded here. To share in thought and prayer the heavy burdens of these people, their suffering, sorrow, sickness, frustration—what not, is a humbling experience. That many people are helped and fortified for life's impact by these visits is a testimony to the vitality of the Christian religion. People no longer argue about religion, they yearn rather for the knowledge of how to make religion work in their lives—the knowledge of the techniques for successful and adequate living.

The rector would like to call attention to the schedule found on page 28 of what we call "Family Day" at St. Stephen's: All families have important anniversaries which they like to celebrate together. We ask you to celebrate them also in the presence of God. Many of our families have been doing just that during the past three years and these testify to the spiritual benefit. It would make the rector very happy if more of our families would share in this plan. Perhaps you would like to celebrate your wedding anniversary, the birthday of a child or elderly person, or the anniversary of the departure of a loved one into the greater life. Notify the rector that you want the Sunday nearest the Day and he will remind you each year by letter. Some half dozen families now receive an invitation each week. Such an observance will enrich your family life, and it will develop fellowship within the Parish because everyone wishes to rejoice with those who rejoice, to sympathize with those who mourn or to commemorate those who are departed.

One of the most helpful services in the week is the Thursday healing service. Those who desire help and strength to combat physical, mental or spiritual distress find in this service an ever present source of creative power and renewal. The fact that 2014 attended these services during the past year, and the ever increasing demand for the rector's little book on "Religion and Health" (four printings to date) testify to the great interest in this whole subject. More and more people are coming to realize the great breadth and inclusiveness of the Episcopal Church. Where the full gospel has not been preached and practiced or the teachings of Christ neglected, cults and fanaticism spawn. Religion as well as nature abhors a vacuum. Spiritual healing has been well-nigh forgotten and rarely practiced in the so-called orthodox churches. The result is that all sorts of health-faddists flourish and abound. We have the authority in the Episcopal Church to preach and practice this healing ministry and God is blessing our feeble but sincere efforts here.

Somewhere in this report the rector must make room for his official acts. During the year he conducted 381 services; preached 139 sermons; administered 10 private communions to the sick; had 12 baptisms, 21 weddings and 16 burials.

In the Office of Instruction in the Prayer Book we are told that it "is the bounden duty of every Christian to work and pray and give for the spread of His Kingdom." These parochial reports that follow are given you that you may see to what extent we have been faithful to that command. Not even a rector knows all the hard work that goes into the successful running of a parish. His brain would have room for little else if he tried to keep track of it. Much of the work is "unheralded and unsung." It is not done for public recognition but for the joy of serving. Though these reports, therefore, will in no way show what the individual members of the parish have done, it does give a fairly accurate picture of our corporate work during 1944-45. Very few of our members are aware of all the work being done, and we therefore urge you to study all of the reports, that you may have a better understanding of what the Church, your Church, is doing.

This is your Church and by sharing our common hope and experiences, a fairer and better day will come to us all, giving Glory to God and honor to His Church.

May we count on your ever increasing co-operation and may God give us all the wisdom and grace for this united and solemn responsibility.

Faithfully yours,

ALFRED W. PRICE, *Rector*.

REPORT OF I. SMITH RASPIN, ACCOUNTING WARDEN

This Report is for the year ending December 31, 1944, and is a condensed form of that which is submitted in detail to your Vestry and approved by them.

The books and records of the Church, as well as those of our Fiscal Agents and Trustees of the Trusts of which we are beneficiary, will be audited for the calendar year ending December 31, 1944, by Charles S. Rockey and Company, Certified Public Accountants, whose report and audit will be open for your inspection.

The book value of investments in the principal account from which we derive our income, at the end of the year amounted to \$751,238.53, made up as follows:

General Investments Unrestricted	\$159,346.97
The Endowment Fund	245,044.88
Rudder Memorial Fund	12,641.28
Anna J. Magee Endowment Fund	119,293.31
Fannie S. Magee Endowment Fund	84,513.04
James R. Magee Endowment Fund	92,135.34
Jamison Estate Trust Fund	38,263.71

Total..... \$751,238.53

The book value of investments held for special purposes, the income from which is used for designated causes only, amounted on the same date to \$36,693.02, made up as follows:

Mary E. Atmore Floral Fund	\$604.90
Lewis Campbell Memorial Fund	3,024.39
Farm and Recreation Fund	8,540.56
Female Benevolent Society	3,657.77
Girls' Friendly and King's Daughters	3,094.81
Magee Memorial Fund	5,303.20
Anna J. Magee Family Memorial Fund	5,329.37
Anna J. Magee Insurance Fund	5,419.41
Mary Cadwalader Mitchell Monument Fund	582.72
Dr. S. B. Wylie Mitchell Vault Fund	135.89
Woman's Auxiliary Fund	1,000.00

Total \$36,693.02

The changes in these funds during the year 1944 are due to the liquidation of real estate holdings and other securities which heretofore have presented slight or unfavorable opportunity for conversion.

For the year 1944 there was made available for our Church, Special Parochial, Diocesan and General Church Purposes, the following sums of money:

Income from Endowments and Unrestricted Investments	\$32,181.80
Contributions for Parochial Maintenance	4,349.54
Pew Rents	1,103.75
Treasurer of Burd School	500.00
Diocesan and General Church Purposes	5,118.11
Special Parochial Purposes	5,768.34
Cash on hand January 1, 1944	3,863.98

Total moneys available \$52,885.52

During the same period there was expended for the maintenance and operation of the Church, for Special Parochial, Diocesan and General Church Purposes, the following sums:

Salaries of the Clergy, including Pensions, Honoraria, Verger, Parish Visitor, Rector's Secretary, etc.	\$12,599.83
Organist, Choir and Music	5,381.37
Rent of Rectory	1,025.70
Church Pension Fund	514.07
Diocesan Assessment	1,194.78
Repairs and Improvements	2,432.21
Electric Light and Gas	799.47
Fire Insurance, etc.	1,138.40
Advertising and Church Bulletins	1,518.40
Fuel Oil	810.64
Discretionary Fund for Rector	600.00
Christmas and Easter Decorations, Sunday School Equipment	315.13
Operation of Office, Telephone, Bookkeeping and Auditing	1,481.41
Verger's Helpers, Supplies and Laundry	1,011.24
Auto Service	475.00
Interest on Community House Mortgage to date of repayment	573.50
Taxes	748.16
Printing	385.02
Contributions, gratuities, etc.	1,182.26
Miscellaneous Expenses	792.95
For Diocesan and General Church Purposes	5,009.38
For Special Parochial Purposes	5,379.52
Leaving on hand on December 31, 1944, from the funds received as above set forth, the sum of	7,517.08

Total \$52,885.52

It is most gratifying to be able to report to you that income for the year 1944 showed an increase over the preceding year, but what is more gratifying is the evidence of your loyalty and support which is in part shown by your increase in contributions for Parochial Maintenance, for Diocesan and General Church Purposes, and for Special Parochial Purposes. With the increased income we were able to conduct an increasingly effective work and lend additional support to the very worthy special objects in which we have had such a vital interest. The contributions for the Missionary Work of our Church, for which we received credit on the quota, amounted to \$4,519.21.

During the calendar year, due to the very generous benefactions of the late Laura Bell, of beloved memory, we received \$30,000.00 by which the debt on the Community House was, as provided by her will, paid off, leaving our Church in its entirety free from debt.

We also received the payment of the legacy of \$5,000.00 for the General Endowment Fund and the legacy of \$1,000.00 for the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, for which we are grateful to the late Laura Bell.

Since the closing of our books for the year 1944 we have received from the Estate of the late Clara E. Meyer, also of beloved memory, the sum of \$5,000.00 which has been invested and the income from which will be, as provided by her will, devoted to missionary purposes.

It is a pleasure to be able to report that our finances and our house are in splendid order and the prospects ahead of us are bright for a very successful future under the wise and able guidance of our Rector.

I take great pleasure in extending to each and every one of the fellow members of our Church and to all others who have helped and whose help has meant so much to me and our Church, my heartfelt thanks and I seek the continued support and loyalty of all to our Church.

Respectfully submitted,

I. SMITH RASPIN, *Accounting Warden*.

Report of Envelope System Offering St. Stephen's Church 1944

Alms Basins

Charities	\$272.10	
Parochial Maintenance	764.29	
Missions	79.02	
Episcopal Hospital	7.50	
Episcopal Hospital from Mothers' Meeting	100.00	
Church School	194.80	
Church School from Mothers' Meeting	10.00	
Benevolent Society	115.50	
Diocesan War Commission	608.60	
Diocesan War Commission from Mothers' Meeting	10.00	
United Thank Offering	341.83	
United Thank Offering from Mothers' Meeting	10.00	
House of Rest for the Aged, from Mothers' Meeting	5.00	
St. Stephen's Service Club	203.00	
Subscriptions to Parish Bulletin	136.20	
Philadelphia Divinity School	55.50	
Bishop Taitt Memorial	.10	
American Red Cross	257.00	
		\$3,165.44

Sundry Dates

Charities	\$991.64	
Parochial Maintenance	3,050.44	
Missions	3,158.36	
Episcopal Hospital	1,009.53	
Missionary Box	63.73	
		\$8,273.70

Total \$11,439.14

Recapitulation

Charities	\$1,263.74	
Parochial Maintenance	3,814.73	
Missions	3,442.18	
Episcopal Hospital	1,117.03	
Missionary Box	63.73	
Diocesan War Commission	618.60	
United Thank Offering	346.83	
House of Rest for the Aged	5.00	
St. Stephen's Service Club	203.00	
Subscriptions to Parish Bulletin	136.20	
Philadelphia Divinity School	55.50	
Benevolent Society	115.50	
Bishop Taitt Memorial	.10	
American Red Cross	257.00	
		\$11,439.14

The Choir

St. Stephen's Church has always stood for music of the highest standard, and has refused to subscribe to the Calvinistic theory that instruments of music and trained choirs are "an abomination and an offence to God," as the great exponent of the Puritan doctrine expressed it.

From time immemorial the arts have been very closely tied up with the act of public worship, and in all those features of public worship in which art enters there is one very good reason for insistence upon beauty and perfection. This is so forcibly stated by the great Richard Hooker that I cannot do better than quote his words:

"We do thereby give unto God a testimony of our cheerful affection which thinketh nothing too dear to be bestowed about the furniture of his service, as also because it serveth to the world for a witness of his almightiness whom we outwardly honor with the chiefest of outward things as being of all things himself incomparably the greatest."

Now, if we consider that churches and cathedrals with their costly stained glass and other adornments are essential and not luxuries, regardless of their cost, how much less essential can we think of music, the strongest ally of all the arts in religion? The Episcopal Church has much to be proud of in her traditional music, bound up as closely as it is with the liturgy of the service. If we accept it, therefore, as necessary, how much more should we insist upon its perfection from the standpoint of interpretation, for music only becomes a truly living thing when adequately interpreted.

If trained choirs are "an abomination and an offence to God" to quote Calvin once more, then one wonders why God endowed such great composers as Bach, Beethoven, and Brahms with the art of writing immortal music for the church,—music which without properly trained choirs would lie neglected and forgotten. The labours of these great composers would then indeed have been in vain.

It is to keep the fine traditions for good music alive that my faithful choir of seventeen people give the best they have every Sunday. Theirs is a responsibility far greater than some appreciate, but they meet the responsibility cheerfully and enthusiastically. I am extremely grateful to them, as I am to many of our congregation who from time to time have expressed their appreciation of our music, and to our good Rector whose whole hearted and sympathetic co-operation has made the work at St. Stephen's Church such a pleasure.

H. ALEXANDER MATTHEWS.

Sunday School

Our excellent Superintendent, who had conducted the Sunday School most ably through June, 1944, was required to give up his duties, which were reluctantly assumed by the undersigned in September, when the School re-opened. The undersigned says "reluctantly" advisedly, inasmuch as his total lack of experience in conducting a Sunday School or in doing any teaching at the age levels involved made him feel unusually inadequate.

Although the feeling of inadequacy continues, he is able to report that, with the most loyal support of Mrs. Mearns and the Misses Ziegler, Erwood and Goff, the Sunday School has carried on with what the teachers hope has been of some profit to the pupils.

Mr. Reinhart pointed out last year, so that it is almost needless to repeat, that, with the Community House not available for Sunday School purposes, the quarters in which we have been operating are so cramped as to not provide the physical equipment for very efficient operation or, indeed, to give space for many pupils in excess of the students from the Burd School.

Quite frankly, the year's work (particularly for the undersigned) has been quite experimental. We are looking forward, next year, in the light of the past months' experience, to a little more specific program in the way of subject coverage which we believe will produce a rounded course for a student that commences in the early grades and will avoid repetition.

The Staff has been so loyal and co-operative that it has been a pleasure to work with them. They have been good enough to meet with the Superintendent from time to time to discuss problems and ways and means, which meetings will be continued during the coming season.

Four of the students—Emma MacGoldrick, Jean Olsen, Kathryn Grant and Janet Keaton—were Confirmed on March 11th by Bishop Hart, after attending the special Confirmation Classes of Dr. Price.

Though major expansion is hardly to be expected with the space limitations now existing, we would certainly never turn away any prospective student; and urge the members of the congregation and others to get in touch with us if they have, or know of, a child or children who are of Sunday School age and not attached to any other parish.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD S. MORRIS, *Sup't.*

(St. Stephen's Sunday School)

Girls' Friendly Society

The Girls' Friendly Society is still active at St. Stephen's Church, despite the weather and assorted and sundry weaknesses.

As usual the season began the first Monday in October when Dr. Price honored us with his presence. We have had the pleasure, too, of having old friends visit us during the year. One of the most interesting talks was given by Miss Katherine Kennedy who is always so generous with her knowledge of so many subjects. This particular evening Miss Kennedy told us about the flower pilgrimages, which could be made from early spring to late autumn, in and around Philadelphia, at little expense but much pleasure.

At Xmas we packed boxes of toys and useful articles for Caney Creek, Kentucky, and Bacon Hollow, Virginia, and sent small gift boxes to the men and women of Harrison Home.

One evening the members tried their skill at candy making—puffed rice balls, to be exact, which were sold at one of the G.F.S. gatherings and added \$7.25 to their contribution for work among the Indians. Other charities to which we have contributed will be found in the Treasurer's Report.

Our closing Supper Meeting will be held on May 28th when we part for the summer.

Respectfully submitted,

LEONA E. DICKHART.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S BRANCH

PARISH MEETING MAY 9TH, 1945

Treasurer's Statement

Balance April 29, 1944	\$176.67
Receipts from April 29, 1944 to May 3, 1945	
Dues Received	\$48.60
Special Effort Received	97.85
Contribution Closing Night	2.00
Contribution G.F.S. U.S.A. Trailer for Field Worker	8.50
Contribution Negro Church Work	3.96
Contribution Russian Relief	3.50
Contribution Save Children Federation	15.00
Flower Fund	1.00
Toys	1.00
G.F.S. Investments	69.03
	\$427.11

Expenditures

National G.F.S. Dues	\$42.00
Branch Expenses	15.09
To Episcopal Hospital in Memory of Dr. Grammer	25.00
Bontoc Scholarships	20.00
Holiday House Cape May	10.00
All Saints Memorial (Memory Deceased Members)	10.00
Children's Country Week Association	10.00
Flowers for Deceased Members	15.00
Church Memorial Flowers	3.00
Christmas Toys	15.00
St. Stephen's Snack Bar	3.00
Lenten Sewing	14.66
Seamen's Church Institute Dues	1.00
Sick Members Flower Fund	1.00
Church Work Among Negro	3.96
Russian Relief	3.50
Save Children Federation	15.00
Forward Work (Trailer for Field Worker)	8.50
	\$215.71
Balance in Bank May 3, 1945	211.30

Audited and found correct

ELLEN WILLIAMS

MARY TWEEDIE, *Treasurer.*

The King's Daughters Whatsoever Circle

Our work for the past year is as follows: Nine pairs of pajamas, fourteen dresses given to Mrs. Mearns for needy families, nine dozen diapers, eight washcloths, these two items go to St. Christopher's Hospital; two dozen stockings filled for the Hope Day Nursery.

Most of the materials used for the dresses were given by the members of the King's Daughters. My hearty thanks for their loyalty and faithfulness during the year!

Respectfully submitted,

CLARA SCHMID, *President.*

TREASURER'S REPORT, MAY, 1945

Receipts

Balance on Hand	\$130.94
Donations	2.05
Sold Three Dozen Diapers	3.00
Dues	9.00
Income from Patton Legacy	69.03
	\$214.02

Disbursements

Dinner	\$17.65
20 yds. Outing Flannel	7.00
7 Pieces Diaper Cloth	13.86
Materials and Findings	3.87
Ivy for Christmas and Gift (Mr. Carrigan)	22.10
Memorial Flowers for Mrs. Vanderslice	3.00
Red Cross	5.00
Service Club	5.00
War Commission	5.00
Salvation Army	5.00
King's Daughters' Home in Narbeth	5.00
County-State and International Dues	8.75
	\$101.23

SARA METZ, *Treasurer.*

The Wednesday Night Club

After nearly two years of inactivity the Wednesday Night Club resumed meetings on October 25, 1944. The frequent inquiries of members now in the armed forces, prompted us to take this step. Our aim is to have a well organized group ready when they return.

At present the active membership is very small. Naturally we are anxious to increase the attendance. Both new members and suggestions would be welcome. The meetings are held each Wednesday in the Parish House. In accordance with its former policy, the club is continuing as a social gathering. There are games, dancing and, whenever possible, refreshments.

In the fall, we were somewhat handicapped by the lack of equipment. It has taken some time to accumulate the new records and games which we now have.

The club wishes to take this opportunity of thanking Dr. Price and members of the Vestry for their interest and help.

Respectfully submitted,

BLANCHE ERWOOD, *Acting President.*

American Red Cross

During the past year the St. Stephen's Branch, Southeastern Chapter American Red Cross, completed 5,232 surgical dressings.

This group meets every Tuesday evening from six until eight-thirty o'clock. Anyone interested in doing this very essential work is cordially invited to join the group.

Respectfully submitted,

ISABEL R. MACMILLAN.

Mothers' Meeting Report, 1945

The small quarters in the Parish House, where the weekly meeting of our Mothers' Club is held, have not hindered it from completing a year filled with activities. The programs have been varied and can be listed under the following headings:

Moving Pictures—General Electric, U. S. O., Mr. Streaker.

Demonstrations—B. V. (a food product), Mrs. Hibbs, paper supplies; Cooking School.

Education—Red Cross, Salvation Army, Soviet Russia, Dr. Price, Mrs. McComb.

Entertainment—Hallowe'en, Christmas Party, Valentine Parties, Easter Parade, Song Contest.

Money Raising Events—Fair, White Elephant Sale, Sauer Kraut Supper, Bingo, Minstrel Show, Pantry Party.

The members of the Mothers' Club are enthusiastic, co-operative and willing to help, in whatever the need might be. Beside the contribution of money listed in the financial report, they have given Mrs. McComb clothing, magazines, soap and wash-cloths, cigarettes, money for Christmas Stockings and have knitted six afghans for the service boys in the Naval Hospital. Ten of the members helped to prepare and serve the supper they gave in our own St. Stephen's Service Club and fourteen members entertained the boys with their Minstrel Show.

The Mothers are most appreciative for the birthday cards which Mrs. Raspin so faithfully sends to each one, and for the cards sent to their boys in service, at Christmas and at Easter.

The final meeting this year will be on May 31st. Last year thirty-five of its one hundred thirty-five members could not go to the shore because of defense work or home duties, and they were given a dinner at Snellenburg's. Conditions this year remain about the same, and members will be given a choice. They are most grateful to St. Stephen's for this Annual Outing.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts

Balance on Hand May 1, 1944	\$94.74	
Offerings	172.41	
Return from Service Club Dinner	41.12	
Fair	178.80	
White Elephants	3.71	
Cooking School	15.60	
Bingo	8.36	
Minstrel Show	43.80	
Red Cross Offering	13.00	
Salvation Army	10.50	
Paper Sale	11.39	
		\$593.43

Disbursements

Cards and Postage	\$20.95	
Refreshments	80.24	
Party Favors and Games	11.34	
Flowers	6.00	
Gifts	9.19	
Talent	4.00	
Pictures ("Record")	2.00	
Calendars	4.00	
Minstrels	12.36	
Fair	37.38	
Paper Goods	2.70	
Servicemen's Christmas Boxes	41.12	
Palms	4.00	
Yarn for Afghans	4.16	
Negro Education	5.00	
United War Chest	10.00	
Federation of Children	10.00	
Caney Creek, Kentucky	10.00	
War Commission	25.00	
Salvation Army	35.00	
Red Cross	38.00	
Episcopal Hospital	50.00	
Servicemen's Sunday Night Dinner	50.00	
Balance on Hand	119.50	
		\$593.43

Burd School

During the past year the Burd School was unfortunate enough to lose the services of Mrs. Emily K. Campbell who resigned as Chairman of the House Committee, a post which she had so ably held for many years.

The health of the school has been excellent, the one exception being that of one of the girls whom Miss Davies took to the South Mountain Preventorium, upon the advice of physicians. The little girl is improving; has gained in weight; and is very happy in her new surroundings. Our girls are having a yearly check-up for signs of tuberculosis. The Burge Clinic, Doctors Hospital, renders invaluable service in this and makes the check-up a very easy matter for all concerned.

While on the subject of health it is only fair to say that the very appetizing and well balanced meals prepared by Miss Grace Wright have contributed greatly to the fine health and happiness of the children.

A few repairs have been made to the school buildings, including repainting and papering of some of the dormitories and one staff room; also the redecoration of the reception room, which is quite an improvement.

We have had 37 girls under our care during the past year; 29 living in the school.

Emma Smith was graduated from High School in February and is now in training for the work of an X-ray technician. There will be no high school graduates this year in June.

Josephine Head, R. N., now Lieutenant Head, is still serving with the armed forces.

4 children have been entered on probation.

3 applicants are under consideration at present.

4 children have been returned to their mothers and 1 to a sister.

4 of our girls were confirmed by Bishop Hart and 1 baptised at St. Stephen's Church.

It is a pleasure to be able to report that there have been no changes in the Staff during the past year.

Three concerts have been given by the girls under the direction of Miss Coddington. Mrs. Watters, who has loaned her piano to the school, added to the joy and importance of these occasions by singing for the girls.

We have several new members of the House Committee, all of whom are much interested in the work of the school. Miss Davies very kindly invited the Committee to afternoon tea, April twenty-second, a very pleasant get-together.

The Christmas party was a truly memorable event. The service in the Chapel conducted by Bishop Hart, with the singing of Christmas carols by the children and guests, was a lovely beginning of the wonderful evening. The dining room was beautifully decorated, the lighted candles and happy faces of the children putting to flight for the time being the shadows of the dreadful war.

The eagerly expected visit of Santa Claus (who at St. Stephen's could doubt that there is a Santa Claus?) and the opening of the packages, following the delicious turkey dinner, proved a grand finale appreciated by everybody, especially by the recipients of the bounty of Santa Claus, who had the added joy of being allowed the privilege of throwing the wrappings on the floor, which was done with great abandon, a proceeding not to be countenanced save at Merry Christmas time.

On our visits to the School the members of the Committee have always been most graciously received and we have gone away with the feeling that we have been entertained in a beautiful and lovingly cared for home.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNE R. DALEY, *Chairman, House Committee.*

REPORT OF I. SMITH RASPIN, *Treasurer*

It is refreshing to be permitted to make a short report on the successful work of the Burd School. We continue to be grateful to Miss Davies for the fine management which she has given to this Trust.

The funds of the Burd School consist of a separate Trust most jealously guarded by the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Stephen's Church who are the Trustees. The income is used in its entirety for the work of the Burd School.

The capital funds constituting the principal of this trust as of June 30, 1944, the end of our last fiscal year, consisted of:

General Endowment Fund	\$800,638.87
Educational Fund	12,016.61
J. A. McDowell Legacy	8,761.55
M. A. Coombs Prize Essay Fund	518.54
Special Library Fund	1,653.00

Making a total of\$823,588.57

The funds made available for the operation of the School for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, amounted to \$32,604.62 and the moneys spent for the actual operation of the School amounted to \$31,292.78.

The changes in the principal account were due entirely to the liquidation of mortgage investments and real estate and the re-investment thereof.

We are pleased to report the finances of the School to be in a most healthy condition and to be a source of gratification to the Trustees.

As in the case of the Church, the accounts are subject to annual audit and examination by Charles S. Rockey & Company, certified public accountants, whose report on examination is available at all times for anybody who may care to see the same.

I extend to Miss Davies and the Committee of the Burd School my sincere thanks for the hearty co-operation and support which they have given in the administration of this Trust and the continuance of the usefulness of its humanitarian work.

I. SMITH RASPIN, *Treasurer.*

Altar Society

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1945

Balance on Hand May 1, 1944	\$82.40	
Received for Memorial Flowers	162.00	
		\$244.40
Bills Paid		\$179.00
Balance on Hand May 1, 1945		\$65.40
Confirmed by the Real Estate Trust Company.		
Balance on hand from the Gensheimer Fund deposited in the Philadelphia Saving Fund Society		\$91.50

Respectfully submitted,

EMILY K. CAMPBELL, *Treasurer.*

May 1, 1945.

Contributions to the North Convocation from St. Stephen's, 1945

Mrs. J. Lewis Armstrong	\$.50	Mrs. James H. Mearns	.50
Mrs. Carrie H. Buehler	1.00	Miss Helen F. Mockett	.50
Mrs. James Carrigan	1.00	Mrs. Alfred W. Price	1.00
Mrs. J. Wiley Christie	.50	Mrs. I. Smith Raspin	.50
The Misses Daley	1.00	Mrs. Benjamin Reath	.50
Mrs. William Dickhart	1.00	Mrs. B. M. Tinsley	1.00
Miss Florence Davies	.50	Miss Susan C. Thackara	2.00
In Memory of Idella W. Higham	.50		
Mrs. William H. Hollar, Jr.	.50		
Mrs. J. B. Mearns	.50		
			\$13.00

Christmas Dinners, 1944

Your contributions for the Christmas Dinners were expended as follows:

Fifty-seven families received certificates or cash. Gift certificates for the purchase of food were given to families having the necessary means for cooking; a cash gift was made to the others in order that they might buy their dinner.

Considering the number of service people associated with the church, it was decided to remember them with a gift that would come from all of their friends at home. Since this fund receives contributions from so many of you, it was the logical means of supplying the gift boxes.

Seventy-four boxes were sent to overseas points as well as to stations at home. From the letters received at the church, we know they were greatly appreciated.

Mrs. James H. Mearns and Mrs. Edward Cooke accomplished the seemingly impossible in filling the boxes for our service men and women with the following useful gifts:

Overseas Boxes:

Food—Liverwurst, Olive butter, Smythfield Ham, souplets, crackers, hard candy.

Toilet Articles—Soap, shaving soap, toothpaste, bandaids, foot pads, unguentine, mentholatum.

Sundries—Jokebook, writing paper, pencils, jigsaw puzzle, Christmas Carol book.

Total was eighteen articles.

Home Boxes:

Food—Cakes, candy.

Toilet articles—Shaving soap, shaving stick, blades, soap dish, soap, tooth powder.

Sundries—Diaries, paper (writing), puzzles, mystery book, pocket stove and refills.

FREDERICK SCHMID, JR.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

Balance from 1943	\$43.61	
Contributions	338.15	
Mothers' Club Donation	41.15	
		\$422.88

Expenses

74 Gift Boxes	\$201.27	
Gift Certificates	125.00	
Cash Gifts	40.00	
1 Basket of Food	5.50	
Envelopes, Cards, Printing	7.50	
		\$379.27
Balance		43.61

\$422.88

FREDERICK SCHMID, JR.

Missionary Box Report

Early in December, \$60.00 was sent to Mrs. Jacob Disston of the Supply Bureau of the Church House. This cheque was to be used for a box for the clergy. A grateful letter of thanks was received by our Auxiliary.

FLORENCE PANCOAST REATH.

The Woman's Auxiliary

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Stephen's Church has met once a month beginning in October and running through April. At all but one of these meetings we have had some one who addressed us, some one who has enlarged our vision of the Church's and the world's work.

In October Mrs. William P. Roberts, wife of Bishop Roberts of Shanghai, talked about the New China, that alluring, mysterious ally of ours in this terrible war. After our business meeting in November, we repaired upstairs where the Mothers' Meeting was serving lunch and had a social time. It was a good opportunity for both organizations to get acquainted.

At the December meeting we had a rare treat—Mrs. German gave a varied program of songs. Many of us had never heard her beautiful voice, and it was a great pleasure for us all. A few gentlemen were present and at noon coffee and cakes were served. It was quite a Christmas party.

Mrs. George A. Trowbridge, Chairman of the Department of Christian Social Relations, was our speaking guest in January. Her committee is expanding its activities as church and world problems increase. The members study such problems as the Church and Labor, Family Relations, Race Relations. Japanese-American Relations and many other problems.

Miss Florence L. Kite was the February guest. She is Secretary of the Friends' Committee on Race Relations. She gave some of the ramifications of the recent local trolley strike; she explained what the Philadelphia Fellowship Commission is and what it proposes to do and what the Friends are doing to promote better race relations.

During Lent the Mission Study Classes in the Diocese were studying The American Indian. Since St. Stephen's had no class, the next best thing we could do was to devote one meeting to the subject. Mr. Chester E. Faris, Secretary of the Indian Rights Association, addressed us. He has spent forty years living among the Indians, so he knows and loves and respects them.

The Office of Indian Affairs operates on appropriations made by Congress each year. This covers education, health, hospitals, road construction, irrigation, agricultural extension and administration of Indian property. Thousands of Indians are in the war; thousands have migrated as defense workers in agriculture and industry. When they return to their homes new problems will present themselves. The Indian Rights Association will be on hand to protect the legal rights as well as the spiritual, moral and material welfare of the Indians.

The auxiliaries of Christ Church and St. Peter's were invited to join St. Stephen's at the April meeting and hear Miss Elizabeth P. Frazier, who gave a talk on Russia. Tea was served at this meeting and we had a very friendly party. Christ Church members have invited the auxiliary of St. Stephen's to meet with them in October.

Miss Frazier and many of the other speakers brought an abundance of literature. Dr. Henry Sloan Coffin once said, "What people are not up on they are generally down on." If we read all the things brought to us during the year, we should be "up" on many vital subjects.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the officers and members for their helpful co-operation during the past year—and let us hope more women will join the auxiliary next year.

BEULAH EVANS HOLLAR.

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944

Balance on Hand January 1, 1944	\$10.32
January 12 Received from Accounting Warden	71.10
	\$81.42
October 25 aid to Supply Bureau, Church House for Missionary Boxes	60.00
Balance on Hand December 31, 1944	\$21.42

Respectfully submitted,
ANNE R. DALEY, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct February 12, 1945.

MARION HEADMAN
NELLIE P. MEARNs

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944

Balance on Hand January 1, 1944	\$58.43
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Receipts

From Accounting Warden for "Proportionate Share" (formerly "Quota")	\$400.00
From Members	105.50
For Subscriptions to Auxiliary Calendar (7)	1.75
For Subscriptions to "Churchways" (6)	.60
Proceeds of Lawn Fête in May at the Rectory in Germantown	73.00
	580.85

Total \$639.28

Payments

To Committees, as follows:	
Domestic	\$100.00
Foreign	100.00
Indian's Hope Association	100.00
Negro Work in the Diocese of Pennsylvania	100.00
	\$400.00
To Pennsylvania Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary for office maintenance, Church House	10.00
St. John's Settlement House	15.00
Indian's Hope Association for "Specials"	10.00
Educational Week for the Blind Episcopal Day	5.00
To Red Cross War Fund:	\$10.00
National Council, Woman's Auxiliary for Work of Rev. Wilfred C. Files, Tenana, Alaska	10.00
Hostel for Japanese-Americans	5.00
United Thank Offering	10.00
Department of Christian Social Relations	10.00
United War Chest to be allocated as follows	15.00
St. John's Settlement House	\$5.00
St. Martha's House	5.00
Seaman's Church Institute	5.00
St. Stephen's Service Men's Club for Christmas Entertainment	15.00
Christmas Box to be allocated as follows	10.00
House of Holy Child	\$2.50
St. Christopher's Mission	2.50
Home for the Indigent	5.00
House of Rest for the Aged (for Christmas)	5.00
Carried Forward	\$530.00

Brought Forward	\$530.00
Subscriptions to Auxiliary Calendar (7)	1.75
Subscriptions to "Churchways" (6)	.60
Dues—Woman's Interdenominational Union	1.00
Total payments	
	533.35

Balance on Hand December 31, 1944 \$105.93

Respectfully submitted,
ANNE R. DALEY, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct, February 12, 1945:

MARION HEADMAN
NELLIE P. MEARNs

SUMMARY

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Payments

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To Committees, as follows:	
Domestic	\$100.00
Foreign	100.00
Indian's Hope Association	100.00
Negro Work in the Diocese of Pennsylvania	100.00
	\$400.00
Sundry Contributions	131.00
Subscriptions to Auxiliary Calendar	1.75
Subscriptions to "Churchways"	.60
Total Disbursements	\$533.35

Balance on Hand December 31, 1944 \$105.93

LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS FROM MEMBERS DURING THE YEAR 1944

Mrs. Grace Armstrong	\$4.00
Mrs. Carrie H. Buehler	1.00
Miss M. K. Caldwell	4.00
Mrs. J. Wylie Christie	2.00
Miss Anne R. Daley	7.00
Miss Emma Daley	7.00
Miss Miriam I. Daley	6.00
Miss Florence L. Davies	4.00
Mrs. William Dickhart	5.00
Mrs. George Donehower	2.00
Mrs. R. L. Edsall	5.00
Mrs. Edith R. Garrett	1.00
Mrs. Daniel R. Harper	2.00
Mrs. Harry Hauger	1.00
Mrs. William H. Hollar, Jr.	9.00
Mrs. B. H. Kennedy	1.00
Mrs. J. B. Mearns	7.00
Mrs. J. H. Mearns	2.50
Miss Helen F. Mockett	5.00
Mrs. I. Smith Raspin	8.00
Carried Forward	\$83.50

Brought Forward	\$ 83.50
Mrs. Benjamin Reath	10.00
Miss Harriet R. Stapleton	2.00
Miss Helen Stapleton	2.00
Miss Susan C. Thackara	4.00
Mrs. B. M. Tinsley	1.00
Mrs. D. D. Wood	3.00
Total	\$105.50

The United Thank Offering

The 1944 Fall in-gathering of the United Thank Offering amounted to \$199.33 from 83 contributors. The presentation service was held at Saint Mark's Church and the offering was \$15,783.87 from all the parishes.

Our 1945 Spring in-gathering amounted to \$207.61 from 75 contributors. The presentation service was held May 3 at Holy Trinity Church. The offering was \$15,500.31.

It is extremely gratifying that in these days of strife and suffering so many still find so much for which to be thankful. However large or small each contribution chances to be, it has a part in the great work being done by our United Thank Offering and we are grateful for the co-operation of the women of Saint Stephen's.

Respectfully submitted,
ELIZABETH M. TINSLEY.

Parish Visitor's Report—1945

Unless one has worked in a busy downtown church, it is difficult for one to realize all there is to be done inside its open doors which bid welcome to shoppers, business people, service men and women and to transients, besides the members of its own congregation. Because of conditions due to the war, when everyone is so busy, it necessitates the staff and the few remaining faithful workers filling in, where in normal times the church has volunteers.

People seek the Church feeling confident that someone there will help them. Some come for spiritual uplift and guidance, which is so essential especially to those who have loved ones in service and far away from home; others come for assistance, both physical and financial, and still others come for information concerning church, homes for the aged, nursing homes, adoption, schools and foster homes for children and numerous other things.

In addition to daily visits, made mostly to the sick and handicapped, the following has been done in connection with the work of the parish: Conducted 34 meetings for the Mothers' Club, taught 28 sessions of Church School, arranged for the Church School and mothers' annual outing, summer vacations for nine children and four women, accompanied ten people to the hospitals for X-ray or medical aid, secured convalescent homes for eight people and took them there, contacted fifty social agencies for referrals or information, delivered about 500 magazines, assisted Miss Headman and Mr. Armstrong with 200 weekly and noonday offerings, acted as recording secretary to the Woman's Auxiliary, shopped for shut-ins, purchased articles for the 74 service men's kits and Christmas boxes, took charge of eight Russian relief boxes, worked on the Red Cross drive and helped in our own service club several times; secured and arranged for the adoption of a baby girl, relieved the secretary during vacation, attended fifty meetings outside the church and made preparations for three in the church.

The King's Daughters have been most generous with the garments they spend many evenings making, and I am most grateful to them; also to our Rector and Vestry for their interest and advice and to the members of the church for their loyal support.

The following quotation might well have been written with the ideal parish worker in mind. I try, though often with discouraging failure, to follow the pattern as best I can: "I shall pass this way but once; any good thing, therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show, let me not defer it or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

NELLIE P. MEARNs.

The Benevolent Society

The season just ended has been a banner one for our Society! 4357 articles were made! This is an increase of 767 over last year and these articles were made for the following hospitals: Jefferson, Episcopal, Pennsylvania, Presbyterian, The Woman's and Hahnemann.

In addition to sewing done for these six hospitals, 480 pieces of clothing were made for the Russian War Relief Society, which was most grateful for this great service.

We have added to our staff, Mrs. Benjamin Reath, who fills the position held for so many years by her mother, Mrs. Albert Pancoast. Several new members were given sewing.

One of these had been employed in Jefferson Hospital for twenty-one years, and was then obliged to resign because of ill health. She is now a semi-invalid suffering from arthritis. Each morning her sister helps her to dress and to go downstairs where she remains alone until her sister's return from work. Unable to walk, she can still run the sewing machine, sitting on a low ladder as she cannot bend her knees. The sewing given this woman has made a great change in her life; beside the financial help, so badly needed, the sewing keeps her employed in the long, lonely hours of the day.

We want to thank the congregation for the donations which make possible the splendid work done by the Benevolent Society.

Respectfully submitted,
MARGARET DAVIS, *Secretary-Treasurer*.

TREASURER'S REPORT

1944-1945

Receipts

Balance on Hand, May 16, 1944	\$79.66
Received from I. Smith Raspin, Esq., Accounting Warden	100.00
Interest on Investments	94.30
From Dr. Price	100.00
Donations from the Congregation	115.50
From Mrs. Reath	25.00
Sale—Miss Maulsby	3.00
	\$517.47

Expenditures

Paid for Sewing	\$393.68	
		393.68
Balance on Hand, May 9, 1945		\$123.79

MARGARET DAVIS, *Secretary-Treasurer*.

Troop No. 2, The Boy Scouts of America

Our Troop of Boy Scouts had its beginning back in the summer of 1908 on St. Stephen's old Bucks County Farm at Hatboro, before there was any national organization of Boy Scouts in the United States. Our Troop later became a duly chartered member of this national body.

It now has five committeemen, the Rev. Alfred W. Price, chairman; Mr. George Krimmel, treasurer (he was one of the Scouts in 1908). On the committee are Messrs. Mortenson, Bender, and Streaker. Mr. Frederick Schmid, Jr. is now acting Scout-Master. Two Assistant Scoutmasters, Fred Chassey and Albert Sheehan are in the army. Bob Krimmel, son of Mr. George Krimmel, is active, leading the Troop each Friday evening, and keeping it united. There is a membership of about twenty boys.

The Troop has gathered more than 7,000 lbs. of scrap paper and has done other war work. It camped at the Hart Reservation last summer and at the Southern District's Camporee, and is planning for similar camping this coming season. The loan of a truck or automobiles to take them to their camp would be very acceptable.

G. H. STREAKER, Committeeman.

Balance, January 1, 1944 \$28.59

Receipts, 1944

Dues	\$36.10	
Mothers' Meeting	5.00	
Church Contribution	75.00	
Leaders' Registration	3.00	
Scout Camp	28.20	
Miscellaneous	.80	
New Registrations	4.50	
		\$152.60

\$181.19

Expenses, 1944

Summer Camp	\$88.20	
Entertainment	8.81	
Camporee	4.41	
Registration	15.00	
Supplies and Insignia	3.31	
		\$119.73

Balance on Hand \$61.46

The Neighborhood Club

This year's activity has proved that there are many children in the neighborhood who are interested in belonging to a club, and will come faithfully if they have the proper leadership.

We began the year with thirteen little children, ranging in age from five to fourteen. A new member of the congregation, Mrs. Edgar Hanks, gave able and faithful assistance until Christmas time.

Because there were a number of bamboo flutes, some of them made by members of the Neighborhood Club two years ago, we decided to teach this varying age group of boys and girls how to play them, and thus form a "Pipers Band."

But the diversity of age levels, the fact that new members arrived at each meeting, and other factors not so tangible, prevented us from making the headway we hoped to, and when the very cold weather arrived, the group was very small.

Three of the older girls have been regular attendants, and have missed not more than three meetings all year. These have learned to play fairly well, and now have an interesting repertoire, though it is not very extensive.

We will close our season by having a picnic together, and when the Church School Outing occurs, these children will be invited to go with that group.

With the best intentions in the world, the undersigned found it difficult to do more than a fair job, as office responsibilities, the telephone, and people dropping in for information, etc., precluded the possibility of giving undivided attention to the group.

This unavoidable situation makes one realize that the leader of the group ought to be someone who is not the Parish Secretary at the same time. Here is a wonderful opportunity for group leadership. If any of you have had any experience with Girl Scouts, or a similar organization, there is available for you an eager group of youngsters, who will repay the time and effort you can spend as their leader.

MARJORIE R. MAURER.

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of St. Stephen's Parishioners

On Wednesday, May 9, 1945, at eight o'clock, P. M., the Parish Meeting was called to order by the Rector, Alfred W. Price, D.D. After song and prayers offered by the Rector, the meeting was called to order.

Dr. Price stated that under the Charter of St. Stephen's Church it was provided that the meeting of the Electors should be held on Easter Monday, but might be adjourned to a later date; that following the custom the meeting of the Electors had been adjourned by the Tellers from Monday, April 2, 1945, to Wednesday, May 9, 1945, at eight o'clock P. M.

The Tellers appointed, Messrs. ^{Handley May 12} Mearns and ^{May 12} Dickhart, were prepared to hold an election. ^{Schmid Ryman}

That due notice had been given to the members of St. Stephen's Church, including pewholders and sitting renters, and notice had also been given from the Chancel that the election would be held on this date, at this hour.

Mr. Raspin then moved the following resolution:

"RESOLVED, that this meeting does hereby ratify the adjournment on Easter Monday, April 2, 1945, by the Tellers of the Annual Meeting for the Election of Vestrymen to May 9, 1945 at eight o'clock P. M., and does hereby approve the call for this meeting for the purpose of electing Vestrymen to serve for the ensuing year or until their successors are duly elected and qualify."

That Messrs. Hauger and Heins be duly elected as Deputy Tellers for the purpose of said election."

Motion was seconded and unanimously carried.

The Chairman thereupon announced that nominations for Vestrymen would be in order.

Mrs. Hollar nominated the following names to fill the positions of Vestry under our Charter.

Dr. Herbert Old	J. Lewis Armstrong
Dean Emory R. Johnson	J. B. Mearns
I. Smith Raspin	William W. Dickhart
William H. Hollar, Jr.	Edwin Saylor Heins
David L. German	James O. Lyman
Harry J. Hauger	Edward Shippen Morris

Nominations were duly seconded by Miss Daley.

Motion was thereupon duly made by Mrs. Raspin, seconded, and carried, that the nominations do now close and, there being no contest, the Secretary do cast the ballot electing the nominees as Vestrymen to serve for the ensuing year or until their successors are duly elected and qualify. The Secretary reported that he had cast the ballot of the meeting and the Tellers declared the nominees duly elected.

Dr. Price thereupon called for the reports from the various officers and societies.

The following reports were then submitted, accepted and ordered filed:

Accounting Warden	Boy Scouts
Woman's Auxiliary	Parish Visitor
Benevolent Society	Noonday and Lenten Services
Mothers' Meeting	Christmas Baskets
Altar Guild	Burd School
United Thank Offering	Church School
Girls' Friendly Society	Missionary Box Committee
King's Daughters	Choir
Wednesday Night Club	Neighborhood Club

Mrs. Hollar announced the Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary luncheon to be held on May 21 at Christ Church, and asked for volunteers from among the women of St. Stephen's to help serve. Mrs. Hollar also invited the parish to the tea and garden party to be held at the Rectory on Tuesday, May 22, or Wednesday, May 23, in case of rain.

After the singing of another hymn, the meeting adjourned, and refreshments were served.

DAVID L. GERMAN, *Secretary*.

The Rector stated that a Post-War Committee of the Vestry, comprised of Messrs. Morris (Chairman), Raspin, German, Heins, Armstrong, and Lyman, had been organized with the view of exploring the field of possible activity of the Parish in the days of peace. The program contemplated is to be centered in the Community House, embracing the general subjects of Recreation, Education and Religion.

Noon-Day Services

Exclusive of Lent 45 Wednesday Services and 34 Healing Services were held with an attendance of 2197 for the former and 1321 for the latter. Dr. Price conducted services and following our custom the celebrations of the Holy Communion followed the Last Wednesday Service in each month, as well as every Friday. Attendance at Wednesday Services has remained fairly consistent during these unsettled times, while the

Healing Services have shown remarkable gains since they were inaugurated by Dr. Price. There was a slight decrease in the attendance at the Friday Communion Service. These services are well adapted to our program of administering to those in the Armed Service and the post-war future.

After six years of Advent Services under the Sponsorship of the Philadelphia Federation of Churches, the experiment was abandoned. Attendance in the past few years was disappointing due to the added difficulties of the War. Pre-Christmas is so commercialized with the stores not opening until noon we lost the store workers and others who normally attend. It is doubtful that this venture will be resumed.

Receipts		
Balance May 1, 1944		\$236.47
Offerings in Church Boxes:		
45 Wednesday Services	\$304.46	
34 Thursday Healing Services	208.48	
		512.94
Total Receipts		\$749.41
Expenses		
Music	\$154.75	
Balance May 1, 1945		\$594.66
Respectfully submitted, J. LEWIS ARMSTRONG, <i>Treasurer</i> .		

Noon-Day Lenten Services

This past season marks the third consecutive year in which the Brotherhood of St. Andrew merged its Lenten program with ours and marks over a half century of daily noon-day services in St. Stephen's.

For the entire forty services, sixteen speakers were presented, most of whom were from out of town. Bishop Hart preached on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday and conducted the Hour of Meditation which followed the singing of the "Crucifixion" under Dr. Matthews' direction. Dr. Price preached at the last service.

The out of town speakers were Michael Coleman of Canada, Dean Emerson of Cleveland, Dean O'Ferrall of Detroit, Dean Moor of Pittsburgh, Dean Adams of Trenton and Bishop Sterrett of Bethlehem.

Approximately six thousand persons entered St. Stephen's on Good Friday with many more turned away. Total attendance amounted to 19,430, which is slightly higher than the preceding year. Total offerings were higher than last year and aided by our comfortable balance on hand we were able to appropriate \$1,400.00 to the Church Renovation Fund.

TREASURER'S REPORT		
Receipts		
Balance May 1, 1944		\$890.50
Offerings		2,531.32
Total Receipts		\$3,421.82
Disbursements		
Preaching		
Honoraria	\$495.00	
Hotel	60.19	
Transportation	142.75	
		\$697.94
Carried Forward	\$697.94	\$3,421.82

Brought Forward	\$697.94	\$3,421.82
Music		
Organist	\$82.00	
Chimes	50.00	
Choir and Soloists	124.00	
		\$256.00
Other Expenses		
Printing	\$248.60	
Advertising	123.20	
Signs	187.00	
Cleaning	75.00	
Miscellaneous	77.44	
Vestments	15.00	
		\$726.24
Appropriations		
To: Accounting Warden		
For Church Renovation Fund	\$1,400.00	
Total Disbursements		\$3,080.18
Balance May 1, 1945		\$341.64

Respectfully submitted,
J. LEWIS ARMSTRONG, *Treasurer.*

Family Day Communion, 1944

JANUARY	MARCH
2. Mr. and Mrs. William Langhorne Mrs. Evan B. Hume	5. Mrs. M. E. Zollers Mrs. David D. Wood Miss May Winters
9. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Laum Mrs. Mildred Larkin Mr. and Mrs. William Linton Miss Hannah Matthews	12. Mrs. Harold Hellieson Mr. and Mrs. George Reed Mrs. Emma Simons
16. Miss Louise Leupold Miss Dorothy Ziegler Miss Adele M. Lewis Miss Margaret B. McCaughin Miss Margaret Warren McCaughin	19. Mrs. George Aeugle Mrs. Anna Allen Mr. and Mrs. Elmer S. Carl The Misses Corrigan Mrs. John A. Crane
23. Mrs. William J. Magargee Miss Virginia McCormack Mrs. Ethel McKenna Mr. George McKenna Mr. Joseph Mears	26. The Misses Daley Mr. and Mrs. Norman Engel Mrs. Mabel Erwood, Miss Blanche Erwood Miss Catherine Essig Mrs. H. Gilman Fisher Miss Edith Louise Frey
30. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nelson, Patricia and Samuel Miss Dorothy H. Minster Miss Mae Miller Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Myers Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith Raspin	
FEBRUARY	APRIL
16. Mr. and Mrs. William Scherzer Mr. and Mrs. George Nevinger	2. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hauger Mrs. John I. Hay Miss Vera Hays Miss Emily Hewitt Mrs. George T. Townsley
13. Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson Mr. and Mrs. William Schultz Mrs. John Sharpley Mrs. C. Guenther	9. Easter Sunday
20. Miss Eva Pletsch Miss Elizabeth Patchell Mr. and Mrs. William Perkins	16. Mrs. Robert Jacob Mrs. Anna M. Kay Mr. Robert Watson Mr. William Watson
27. Miss Mae Sneddon Mrs. Henry Thoma Miss Helen D. Swarts	23. Mrs. Helen Allen Mr. Raymond Butler Mrs. Maria Chapman, Mr. Samuel Chapman Mr. William Elliot, Miss Isabel Elliot
	30. Mrs. Anna M. Kay Mrs. Matthew McCarthy

MAY
7. Mrs. James F. Armstrong, J. Lewis Armstrong Mr. William H. Ruhl Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ross Miss Lillian H. Carson Mrs. George Donehower
14. The Misses Wilder Mrs. Morris Stroud Mrs. Margaret Dougherty Miss Marion Hart
20. Mr. and Mrs. John C. Knox
20. Mrs. William Wilson Mrs. David Stephens Mrs. H. R. Soder Mrs. William Schultz
27. The Dean and Mrs. Emory R. Johnson Miss Isabel E. Kirkpatrick Miss Elizabeth Kettra Miss Mildred Bailey

JUNE
4. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Armstrong Mrs. Edward J. Cooke Miss Mary Duffy Mrs. Howard Hunter
11. Mr. Stephen Forbes, Miss Mary Forbes Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Schmid Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Schmid, Jr. Mrs. Edith N. Mesner
18. Mr. and Mrs. David L. German, and David, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Powers Mr. George H. Streaker
25. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mearns Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mearns Mrs. James A. Bealmear, Miss Amelia Bealmear Miss Catherine Burns Mr. and Mrs. C. Leonhardt Carl Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Christie Miss Marguerite K. Caldwell

SEPTEMBER
3. Mrs. Mary Allen Mrs. C. Bilse Mrs. Martha Atherton Mrs. F. M. Beddows
10. Miss Susan C. Thackara Miss Edith S. Dean Mrs. Elizabeth Farmer, Mr. Walter T. Farmer Mrs. George P. Green
17. Mr. and Mrs. Roswell C. Williams, Jr. The Misses Davis
24. Mrs. Benjamin Reath Mr. Paul Downward, Mrs. Viola Downward The Misses Swift

OCTOBER
1. Miss Frances Hatcher Mrs. Casimira Petroski Mr. Charles Adams Mrs. George M. Price Mrs. John T. Troth Miss Gertrude Bixler
8. Mr. Roland Bickerstaff Miss Matilda Maulsby Miss Hedwig L. Kauffman Miss Edith Grigg
15. Mrs. Harry D. Saylor Miss Marie Bell Mr. and Mrs. George M. Bridgman Miss Violet Briearley
22. Mrs. Martha Atherton Mrs. Mary H. Hankieson Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harris Mrs. J. M. Johnson
29. Miss Mabel Boisnot Mrs. Russell Bleakley Mr. Clarence Garrett, Jr.

NOVEMBER
5. Miss Anna Eisenbrey Mrs. Alberta Herzog Mrs. Blanche Kennedy, Miss Katherine Kennedy Mrs. M. Brantley Ellis
12. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seltzer Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shepherd Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Tinsley Miss Frances Tinsley
19. Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Morris Miss E. Bertha Yocum The Misses Wallace Mrs. F. H. Smedley
26. Miss Bessie Bertwistle Mr. Edwin Saylor Heins Mrs. Catherine Joseph Miss Marion Wilson Mrs. Madeline Keller Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hollar, Jr.

DECEMBER
3. Miss Laura Wareham Mrs. Lawrence Thayer Mrs. Charles Stein Mrs. Milton D. Sinclair, Miss Grace Sinclair
10. Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Christie Mr. Robert Ewart Mr. and Mrs. Henry Groh Mr. and Mrs. William Dickhart
17. Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hicks Mr. Charles K. Hay Mrs. Blanche E. Krecker
31. Mr. Lorenzo H. C. Guerrero Miss Fay Godfrey Miss Evelyn Pifer

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"First learn to show piety at home." I Timothy 5:4

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